



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6144

LCO No. 1866

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:
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**AN ACT CONCERNING SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to allow time spent
- 2 developing a new business to count toward the requirement that
- 3 persons receiving unemployment benefits be actively looking for
- 4 work.

Statement of Purpose:

To encourage small business development and facilitate job creation by allowing individuals receiving unemployment benefits to continue to receive such benefits if such individuals are actively engaged in developing a new business.